

**Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of)	
)	WC-Docket No. 09-197
Petition of the Oglala Sioux Tribe for Designation)	WT-Docket No. 10-208
An Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Pursuant to)	AU-Docket No. 12-25
Section 214(e)(6) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996)	

OGLALA SIOUX TRIBE MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

The Oglala Sioux Tribe ("OST") by and through the undersigned counsel, respectfully files this Motion for Extension of Time to File Petition for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Pursuant to Section 214(e)(6) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 in above referenced proceeding from July 10, 2012 to August 9, 2012 in Order to allow the OST the opportunity to complete its Wireless Petition with supporting documents. In support of this Motion, the OST submits:

The OST has had ongoing issues with its current wireless carrier, AT&T Mobility. LLC (AT&T) regarding the agreement between the parties. The OST has made it clear to AT&T that it does not intend to extend any agreement beyond three (3) years as it has wanted to form its own tribally owned carrier and seek to become an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation.

That it has not been in the best interest of the OST to form agreements with companies for wireless communication services on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation. The OST has been continuing to move forward complete the necessary steps to file its own Petition for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Pursuant to Section 214(e)(6) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

It therefore requests that it be granted a thirty (30) day extension of time to file its Petition for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation.

The OST believes good cause exists for requesting this extension of time and hereby requests that the FCC grant this Motion.

Respectfully submitted,

OGLALA SIOUX TRIBE

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